FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

WEDNESDAY, Oct. 27-6 P. M. Affairs in Wall street continue exceedingly dull, and the brokers complain of a "plentiful lack" of orders. The reaction from the activity and excitement of the panic is at length becoming operative. Business has been slowly tapering down in volume and amount until next to nothing is being done at the stock board. Some little animation was given New York Central this morning by the publication of the programme of ceremonies which are to attend the unveiling of the Vanderbilt bronze at St. John's Park, and the price ran up to 189%. From this point the market began to decline and became heavy after the second call, when Central sold at 188%, Rock Island at 104%, Northwestern at 70% and Lake Shore at 91%. These prices brought a new line of myers, and the market rallied in the subsequent dealings in the Long Room, particularly for New quoted to-day ex dividend of fifteen per cent, and sold at 86 a 88. The governing committee of the Stock Excange has decided that the observance of the thirty days rule is not necessary in the case of a scrip or stock dividend. Columbus, Chicago and Indiana Central pass firmer and sold at 23. In the miscellaneous list estern Union was stronger, owing to the strike of the employes on the rival Franklin line, and sold at 27. With reference to Lake Shore it is difficult to determine what strategy is really at the bottom of its manipulation. It is now intimated that the directors' ring, who are snort of it, revived the Wabash ponsolidation matter the other day at Cleveland with the intention of voting down consolidation at the meeting on November 15, preparatory to any alliance with New York Central. The following comde public to-day, the figures of the period preous to consolidation being obtained by adding gether the earnings of the several lines then exist-

by between Buffalo and Chicago:-1869. \$838,777 1,239,735 280,003 283,468 310,005 \$2,952,078 Total.....\$2,791,474

closing prices at the last saion of the Stock Exchange:-Canton, 53 a 55; Oumberland, 2814 a 29; Western Union, 3634 a 87; Quicksliver, 1334 a 14; Mariposa, 8 a 834; eferred, 161/4 a 17; Pacific Mail, 601/4 a 60% Boston Water Power, 14 a 16; Adams Express, 55% bid; Wells-Pargo Express, 20 a 21; American Ex-press, 35 a 35½; United States, Express, 57 a 57½; Merchaots' Union Express, 936 bid; New York Central, 1883 a 189; Erie, 307, a 31; do. preferred, 54 a 56; Hudson River, 172 a 173; Harlem, 143% • 144; Reading, 56% a 97; Michigan Central, 123; Lake Shore, 91% a 91%; illinois Central, 136 bid; Cleveland and Pittsburg (ex dividend), 86 a 88; Chicago and Northwestern, 70% a 70%; do. preferred, 84 a 84%; Cleveland, Columbus and Cincinnati, 78 a 78%; Rock Island, 105% a 105%; Milwaukee Toledo and Wabash, bay bid; do. preferred, 75 bid; 80; do. preferred, 59% a 59%; Onio and Mississippi, and Alton, 14) a 143; do. preferred, 141 a 144; Morris and Essex, 88; Hannibal and St. Joseph, 1083, 2 410; do. preferred, 112; Columbus, Chicago and Indiana Central, 23 a 23%. The range of the leading

	Bighest.	Lowest.
New York Central	. 189%	18834
Ene	. 31	30%
Harlem	. 143%	143
Hudson River	. 172%	17136
Reading	. 97	90%
Michigan Southern	9234	9134
Pittsburg		
Northwestern		7034
Northwe tern preferred		
Bock Island		
Milwaukee and St. Paul		68.16
Milwaukee and St. Paul preferred		80 %
Western Union Telegraph		36%
Pacific Mail	. 611/2	89%
Who wold more that and enlet die	where when	annaiam of

the board, and the price steady at 130 a 130 4. About four o'clock, however, there was a pressure to sell, in response to the weak tone of the foreign exand sales were made at 129%. At five O'clock, when the last transactions took place, the quotation stood 12934 a 130. There was no further telligence on the street concerning the Assistan Treasurership. The following shows the result of

 Treasurership.
 The following shows the result of lo-day's business at the Sub-Treasury:—

 General balance yesterday
 \$91,209,913

 Guid receipts
 2,102,740

 Gold payments
 81,54,919

 Gold balance
 82,994,510

 Currency receipts
 1,679,789

 Currency payments
 529,925

 Currency balance
 6,184,085

 General balance
 98,830,017

 For customs (included in gold receipts)
 426,000

 The Manageois focal and 200 are and 600 are an The Minnesota took out £100,000 sterling, equiva-

lent to \$485,000 m specie.

The money market was easy and after two o'clock alances were to be had as low as four per cent. In the previous transactions of the day, however, the prevailing rates were five and six per cent, with ceptions at seven. There is very little movement carrency to the West but a good steady outflow to the South and Southwest.

The increasing experts of cotton have led to so free a supply of bills drawn against shipments that the bankers have been compelled to modify their rates for foreign exchange, and bills underwent of narp decline this afternoon. There is also reason to believe that some of the large drawers are ous of funds, on what account is not specified. and are selling bills rather than enter the market for After three o'clock prime bills sold as low as 108%, but the nominal range of rates was as follows:-Sterling, sixty days, commercial, 105% a 108%; good to prime bankers', 108% a 100; short sight, 109; 100%; Paris, sixty days, 5.22% a 5.16%; short sight, 5.15 a 5.13½; Antwerp, 5.22½ a 5.16½; Switzerland, 5.22½ a 5.16½; Hamburg, 35½ a 35½; Amsterdam, 40% a 40%; Frankfort, 40% a 40%; Bremen, 78% a 28%; Prussian thalers, 70% a 71%.

The decline in gold and the general dniness of the

mbined with the pressure to sell bonds, as syinced in the large offerings at the Sub-Treasury The total amount offered for sale at the Treasury purchase was nearly six millions. The bonds accepted, two millions in all, were in the following :-\$6,000, 1862, registered, at 114.58; \$2,000, 1864, registered, at 114.68; \$5.000, 1865, registered, at 114.58; \$37,000, 1865, coupon, at 114.58; \$250,000, 1865, registered, at 114.58; \$700,000, 1885, 114,58; \$1,000,000, 1867, coupon, at 114.68. The following were the closing street prices for the government list:-United States currency sixes, 107% a 107%; do. sixes, 1881, registered, 119% do., coupon, 119% a 119%; do. fiveswenties, registered, May and November, 114% a 114%; do. do., coupon, 1802, do., 120% a 120%; do. do. do., coupon, 1884, do., 118% a 118%; do. do., coupon, 1865, do., 119% a 119%; do. do., registered. January and July, 110% a 117; do. do., coupon, 1865, do., 116% a 117; do. do., coupen, 1867, do. 116% a 117; do. do., coupon, 1868, do., 116% a 117; do. ten-forties, registered, 10716 a 10716; do. do., coupon, 108 a 108 %.

In Southern securities the only activity manifested was in the special tax bonds of North Carolina. which rose from 30% to 41%. The Tennessees were firm and steady. It will be seen that the State agents in this city advertise for proposals for the saie of bonds, in which certain trust funds are to be invested. The special tax bonds on the street closed at 41% a 41%. The following were the prices at the last session of the Stock Exchange;-Tennessee, ex coupon, 61% a 62; do., new, 63% a 54%; Virginia, ex coupon, 50 a 50%; do., new, \$5 a 55; Georgia sixes, 85; Georgia sevens, 91 a 92; lina, ex coupon, 47; do., new, 39; do., special tax, 40% bid; Missouri sixes, 87% n 87%; do., unibal and St. Joseph, 88 pid; Lousiana sixes, 65; do. levee sixes, 63% a 63%; do. do. eights, 62%; Alabama eights, 61%; South Carolina sixes, new, 69.

Loans\$1 Spane Legal tenders Due for banks Due to banks Deponits Circulation	Oct. 18.	Oct. 25, 103, 562, 620 1,056, 130 11,319, 786 14,124, 716 15,796, 584 84,577, 571 25, 212, 032	Differences. Dec\$839,213 Dec\$61,125 Dec\$6,255 Inc308,206 Dec980,506 Inc430,286 Dec101,465
The exports	(exclusive	of species	from New York
to foreign port	wfor the w		October 26, and

since the commencement of the year, compare as follows with those of 1867 and 1868: —

1807. 1808. 1869. For the week... \$4,444,163 \$3,309,694 \$3,907,794 Prev. reported..147,264,985 132,150,391 156,125,800 Since Jan. 1. . \$152,211,148 \$135,499.085 \$160,123,524 The following is the quarterly statement of the anks of the city of New York :--

Liabilities. Liabilities. Liabilities.

Liabilities. Liabilities. Comparisons.

Capital. \$73,914.907\$

Net profits. \$27,974.981\$

Circulation. \$34,924.161\$

Due banks. \$68,233,667\$

Due deposities. \$12,611,677\$

Linpaid div'ds. \$120,858\$

Liabilities. Comparisons.

\$4,759,930,900,900

\$44,729

\$4,773,930,900

\$4,773,930

\$4,876,188

\$180,685

\$180,685

\$190,415

\$100,415

\$100,415

\$100,425 Resources, Resources, Comparisons. Loans & disc. \$174,497,552 \$158,096,436 Dec\$16,391,116
 Stocks
 59,198,052
 55,728,877
 Dec. 1,207,175

 Real estate.
 6,988,653
 7,318,344
 Inc. 1,133,973

 Due Pm b'ks
 14,429,674
 15,573,752
 Inc. 1,133,973

 Cash Items & b'k notes.
 8,871,962
 4,313,062
 Inc. 441,100
 Cash tems & b'k notes. 3,871,962 4,313,062 Inc. 441,100 Specie. 16,471,212 19,764,240 Inc. 4,233,028 Legal tend's 47,196,214 48,607,157 Inc. 2,480,943 Overdrafts. 266,559 229,646 Inc. 38,706

Totals.....\$319,480,169 \$310,621,514

The following is the quarterly statement of the state banks of the city of New York:-Of the city 31 New 1018.—
Liabilities. Liabilities.
June 26, 193, Sept. 25, 769. Comparisons.
...\$11,008,388 \$12,009,898 Inc. \$1,061,510
4,829,435 4,745,867 Dec. 83,508
...\$174,365 547,991 Inc. 173,536
2,273,319 2,008,213 Inc. 416,894
198, 24,122,955 22,319,127 Dec. 803,223
d'8, 125,242 116,004 Dec. 10,238 Capital....\$11,008,398
Net profits....\$4,829,435
Circulation....\$374,335
Due banks....\$2,273,319
Due deposit/s. 23,122,055
Unpaid divd's...\$125,242 Totals \$41,733,704 \$42,491,010 Inc., \$757,306 Resources. Sept. 25, '69, Comparisons \$29,635,090 Inc. \$1,687,187 3,188,672 Inc. 190,693 1,187,668 Inc. 152,391 2,148,508 Dec. 106,271 219,191 Inc. 80,37 2,130,857 Dec. 1,185,49

Totals..... \$41,733,704 \$42,491,010 The earnings of the Union Pacific road were as

SALES AT THE NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE. Wednesday, Oct. 27-10:15 A. M. 12 M. and 2:15 o'Clock P. M. reg. 1194, \$1000 US 5-20, c, '87. 117 k cool, 1194, \$5000 de, '67. 117 k 42. 1144, \$2000 US 5-30, r, '67. 117 k 72. 1195, \$500 US 5-3, 10-40, con. 198 k 44. 184, 194, de, 198

82000 US 5's, '81 reg 119's 81000 US 5-20', c, '87. 117's 19000 US 5-20', r, '82. 114's 2000 US 5-20', r, '82. 114's 1900 US 5-20', r, '82. 117's 1900 US 5-20', r, '82. 118's 120', do ... 198's 19000 US 5-20', c, '86. 119's 1900 US 5's, 10-40', r, 107's 19000 US 5-20', c, '86. 119's 19000 US 5-20', c, '87. 117's 19000 US 5-20', c, '87

STREET QUOTATIONS. West Lis Tel. 2514 a 57 Pittsburg ... 88 a 59 Paedite Mail ... 605 a 605 Northwestern ... 994 a 795 N Y Central ... 189 a 1895 Northwestern pr 835 a 295 Musicon Styer ... 1724 Rock Island ... 1614 a 105 Eric ... 905 a 258 S Paul. ... 465 a 654 Reading ... 905 a 258 S Paul. 976 ... 665 a 654 Reading ... 905 a 955 S Paul prof. ... 865 a 654 Reading ... 905 a 955 S Paul prof. ... 865 a 854 Lake Shore. ... 915 9 915 Oblo 2 Hiss ... 2854 a 255 Lake Shore. ... 915 9 915 Oblo 2 Hiss ... 2854 a 255 Lake Shore.

COMMERCIAL REPORT.

Assiza. Receipts none. Pot were steady at \$7 27% a \$7 03%, with fight receipts and a fair domand. Pearl remained dull and nominal.

COYFEE.—Blo was steady in price, with a moderate de-

mand, the sales being 1,000 bags, ex steamer South America, on private terms. Other kinds were dull but unchanged. No

and a good business was though the market was quiet at the close; prices were steady at yerlerday's quotations. The sales were 2,511 bales, of which 1,288 were for export, 474 for spinning, and 749 on speculation. For future delivery the market was more active, and the following were the sains: 300 baies basis low midding (or November at single, 100 do, for October at 250, 250 do, for December to January at 250, 250 do, for March at 250, 250 do, for January at 250, 200 do, for January at 250, 250 do, for January at 250, 250 do, for January at 250, 250 do, average low midding for October at 250, and 150 do, for December at 250, 250 we annex the current quotations:

at Es. 300 do, for January at Es/cc., 100 do, average low middling for October at Esc., and 150 do, for December at Esc., and 150 do, for December at Es/cs. and 150 do, for December at Es/cs. and Herbids. Some Ordona and Forbids. Metales. New Ordona Control of the Control of

nie; il joe a 12c., do., Shah, and 75gc. a 5c., do., ist Tampico no bond.

Mot. Assum. — The market was duil, but prices were unhanged; il hinds Cuba cestringat were sold at die. We said of no other sales.

NAVAL SPOLES.—The market for spirits turpentine was usel, the high prices atked checking business; 350 bbis, were sold into gesteraay at 47c., but there were no sales to-day below 45gc., at which price a lew small bis were sold. Lots in shipping order were quoted at 45c. a 45gc. Boam was tall, the demand being light, but prices were without attention. The arises were 40 bbis. No. 2 and flow No. 1 at \$3 to a 43 2c. and 100 do. no at \$3 a 8 5c. the latter price for extra. We obtain solventially \$10 a \$10 Wilmington, to arrive, at \$2 35; Washington was quoted at \$2 57);.
Oston Linsond was dull at 900, a \$1 in casks and bbin

Sales 8,000 gallons, in Beston, at 95c. Other kinds were dull at our last quotations. No sales.

Provisions.—Receipts, 50 packages of lard. The market for pork was still quiet, but prices were rather more steady. The business was light, the sales being about 500 obts, in small lots, at 831 50 for old mess and \$35 50 for prime mess. Dreased loops were dull and heavy at 12c. for city, while live were quiet and lower, closing at 94c. a 105c. The were quiet and lower, closing at 94c. a 105c. The ware quiet and lower, closing at 94c. a 105c. The ware dull and prices the sales being 75 bbis, at 85 a 812 for plain mess and \$12 a 817 for citra 60. There bed was dull and prices were nominal at former quotations. Beef hams were steady, with small sales, at \$18 a 856 for old, the latter price for choice, and \$25 for new. Bacon was dull, but full prices were demanded for all kinds; we have 40 no sales of moment. Out meats were quiet, but firm, owing to the small stock; small sales were made at 19c. for pricked hams and stock; and late all of 100 prices prices were from the sales were 250 pt Mages at 165c. a 155c. for No. It optime steam and kettle rendered.

PETROLEUM.—Crude in bulk was in good demand from refiners, and though sales were made at the opening at 18c, the market closed strong at 16c, with some holders demanding 195c. The sales were 500 dots. It 81c. of 100 dots at 181c. Grude in bbla remained dull and nominal at 245c. a 185c. The market for refined was quet, the small supply and the high prices demanded restricting business. The sales were 50 bbls, prime white at 345c. and strance—and 500 do. for October at 185c.—an advance—and 500 do. for October at 185c.—an advance—and 500 do. for October at 185c.—an advance—and 500 do. for October at 185c. on the market closing strong, with 24c bid for October. Naphtha was dull and nominal at all conditions of the sales were 50 bbls. prime white at 345c. and 250 do. standard white for November at 185c. on october 325c. and 536c.

Rice.—Carolina was more steady, and alse we Sales 8,000 gallons, in Boston, at 95c. Other kinds were dull at our last quotations. No males.

inst half of November at 185gc. a \$55gc., closing at \$85gc. a \$35gc. a \$35gc. closing at \$85gc. a \$35gc. defended and allow the property of the case of the control of the unchanged. A few small lots were sold at 16/5c, a 18/3c, for common to prime.

Tatlow.—There was only a moderate demand; prices were unchanged. Sales 70,000 ibs. at 11/3c. a 11/3c., calcily at the istirer price for city, 700 bbis. The market was mode-rately active and firm at \$1 21/3c, tax paid, at which price there were sold \$20 bbis.

REAL ESTATE MATTERS.

The following are particulars of sales of real

estate made yesterday:—
cursskii.t., N. J. (N. B. B.). PROPERTY—BY JOHNSON AND
MILLER.
4 lots, 26 to 29, block D. and D s h. Madison av, 25x100,
\$2,150 g lots, 23 to 25, block D. Madison av and Orchard st, 25x 100, each 7 lots, 1 to 7, block D, Monroe av and Orchard st, 25x 100, each 100, each.
100 to 18, 50 to 14, block D, Madison av and Orchard st, 25x 100, each.
15 lots, 8 to 22, block D, Morroe av and Orchard st, 25x 100, each.
100, each.
100, each.
100, each. 25x100, each. 12 lots, 19 to 30, block F, Madison av and Waverley place, 25x109, each. 4 lots, I to 4, block F, Monroe av and Waverley place, 25 4 lots, 1 to 3, block F, Monroe av and Waverley place, 25 2105, each.
2 lots, 5 to 6, block F, Monroe av and Waverley place, 25 2106, each.
8 lots, 7 to 14, block F, Monroe av and Waverley place, 25 25100, each.
4 lots, 15 to 15, block B, Monroe av and Orchard at, 25x 100, each.
4 lots, 33 to 25, block B, Madison av and Orchard st, 25x 100, each. 31 and 32, block B. Madison av and Orchard st, 25x100, each. 4 lots, 27 to 30, block B, Madison av and Orchard st, 25x 100, each. 2 lots, 3 and 14, block B, Monroe av and Orchard st, 25x 100, each.
100, each.
101, 25 and 25, block B, Monroe av and Orchard st. 25.
101s, 25 and 25, block B, Madison av and Orchard st.
101s, 25 and 24, block B, Madison av and Orchard st.
101s, 25 and 24, block B, Madison av and Orchard st.
101s, 5 and 6, block B, Monroe av 19 to 22, block B, Jefferson and Madison avs, 25x 110. each. 4 lots, 1 to 4, block B, Jefferson and Monroe avs, 25x106, each 4 lots, 1 to 21, block A, Jefferson and Monroe avs, 25x 115, each. 4 lots, 1 to 4, block A, Jefferson and Prospect avs, 25x 4 lots, 1 to 4, block A, selection and Prospect 80, each 4 lots, 5 and 5, 22 and 22, block A, Monroe and Prospect ave, 25x100, each 4 lots, 7 and 8, 24 and 25, block A, Monroe and Prospect ave, 25x100, each 4 lots, 9 and 10, 95 and 27, block A, Monroe and Prospect ave, 20x100, each 7 lots, 11 to 17, block A, Monroe and Prospect ave, 20x100 each 10 lots, 11 to 17, block A, Monroe and Prospect ave, 20x 101 each 101 each... 28 and 29, block C. Prospect and Monroe 25x100, each... , 25x100, each, 8 and 9, 30 and 31, block C, Prospect and Monroe 25x100, each, 10 and 11, 32 and 33, block C, Prospect and Monroe xxx, 25x101, each roc avs, 25x100, each 4 lots, 16 and 17, 28 and 29, block C, Prospect and Mon-roc avs, 25x100, each 4 lots, 18 and 19, 40 and 41, block U, Prospect and Mon-4 lors, 18 and 19, 9a and 41, block C, Prospect and Mon-roe awa 251109, each.
3 lots, 20 to 22, block C, Prospect ar-25x100, each.
5 lots 42 to 44, block C, Monroe av, 25x100, each.
4 lots, 1 and 2, 9 and 19, block E, Monroe av and Waver-ley place, 25x100, each.
4 lots, 3 and 4, 11 and 12, block E, Monroe av and Waver-leo place, 25x100, each. ots, 5 to 8, Prospect av and Munroe place, 25x100, each ots, 13 to 20, Prospect av and Munroe place, 25x100,

The above sale was one of the most successful yet sold and deposits received from each purchaser be, introduced-five of the best lots are to be given to the following named persons in the order they are to the following named persons in the order they are named:—Charles Hall, of New York, sixty-eight lots; U. S. Barker, eighteen; J. J. Trew, sixteen, and Henry Old field, twelve (the last three being of Brooklyn) and Barney Woods, of Tenady, ten lots, being the last choice.

REAL ESTATE TRANSPERS.

New York City.

Kings County. Adelphia st, c s, 249 ft s of Myrtie av, 25x124.7 (deed 66.11x101.5x50.

Court and President sts, s w corner, 65x100.

Court st, w s, 61 tt n of Church st, house and lot, 19.6x50.

Degraw at, s s, 225 it e of Utica av, 25x127.9 (August 10, 1968). Court st, w s, 61 ft n of Church st, house and lot, 19, 52, 50
Degraw at, s s, 255 it e of Utica av, 251127 (August 10, 1856)
Downing st, w s, 508 ft s of Gates av, house and lot, 20x 121.6
Dean st, centre line, 254.10 ft of Classon av, norther; it Dean st, centre line, 254.10 ft of Classon av, norther; it Court act, 35x146
Harnson st, n e s, 25 it e of Lynch st, 22x140
Hannock st, s a, 255 it e of Lynch st, 22x140
John st, w s, 757 it e of Tompkins av, 17.6x140
John st, w s, 757 it e of Tompkins av, 25.4x100
Jetterson st, n a, 250 it e of Tompkins av, 25.4x100
Sachatt st, n a, 250 it e of Tompkins av, 25.4x100
Sachatt st, n a, 250 it e of Tompkins av, 25.4x100
South 255 at and Fache at, n e cor, 25x70
Troy av and Fache at, n e cor, 25x70
Sthat and 35 av, n w of 25x10x10
Sthat, a w s, 150 it n w of 25x10x10
Sthat, a w s, 150 it n of De Kaba v, 21 5x100
LEAGES BEGODDER.
Bedford and Raymond sia, s e cor, 4 years
Nelson and Sthith sia, a w cor, 50 years
Quelled Forny. 125

Lafayette si. e.s. 165.8 in of Fulton st. 50x100. 230
Lafayette si. e.s. 165.8 in of Fulton st. 50x100. 2,000
Lafaenoeville. w vorace. 50x200. 2,000
Myrtic av, w s. 1,210 in of Atlantic av, 50x100. 250
Washington st. n s. adjoining Core in, 31x101. 1,000
NEWYOWS.
Covert av and road to Newtown handing, adjoining Newtown creek, 75g acres, Saals. 15,000
Woodslidt. 15000 Woodslidt. Hudson County. Lot 23, block 74, Coster estate. 700

Garden st, lots 13, 14, 15 and 15, block 11. Coster map. 288
Lot 1 to 9, block C, map of Seacaucus etty. 1,100

Lot 1 and 2, block 2, Gould's man. 850
Lot 30, block 1, Nelson's map. 450

Woodlawn av, n w s, 187 fin w of Oakland av, 198x112x
199. 550 Av C, n w s, 106 it s w of Oakland av, 175x170x172..... Essex County, N. J. Easex County, N. J.

NEWARK.

NEWARK.

NEWARK.

South Market at, 122 it wo Jackson at, Rxxis.

South Market at, 122 it wo Jackson at, Rxxis.

South Urrange ar, n. a, indefinite, 19a95.

Eim at, n. 122 it wo Monroe at, 38x101.

Quitman at, 127 it from Waverley piace, 23x100.

Belmont at, w. a, indefinite, 32x100.

Vest Bank at, n. 5.7 it wo Newtown at, 25x100.

Belleville av, o. a, 104 it not Oriental at, 42x150.

THE GOLD RING

No Answer from Washington-The Situation Unchanged-Ramors and Conjectures-The Reticence of Solicitor Banfield-The Grand Jury Witnesses-Small Results Expected from the Investigation.

It was very generally thought in Wall street that the successor to General Butterfield would be announced by telegraph authoritatively from Washing ton yesterday, and that some cine would be given to the intentions of the administration regarding the investigation of the Assistant Treasurer's case. Not a line, however, either by mail or telegraph, was received at the Sub-Treasury as to the course the government meditated, and General Butterfield remained in undisturbed possession of his office throughout the day, signing cerned about the consequences threatened by the combination against him as if he had never listened to aught but Homeric verses in his ealogy. Strange ing a reply to the General's letter of resignation. the principal witnesses against the Assistant Treasurer, declare they have no scrap of proof in writing to implicate him, and have really nothing beyond their own unsupported statements to maintain the charges they have so recklessly advanced. Some people begin to think that the administration has reconsidered its action in asking General Butterfield for an explanation, and that if the precedent be established of calling on every government officer against whom accusatory criti-cism is aimed through the columns of mimical newspapers to snow cause why he should not undergo the ordeal of official investigation, there will be no end to the number of resignations and no limit to the slanders of partisan enmity. Solicitor Banfield, since his arrival, has observed a wise reticense which has shown itself proof even against the assaults of the ubiquitous interviewer whom the distinguished foreign prelate of Notre Dame was forced to succumb. The Solicitor has revealed none of his intentions, if he ever had any, of a serious character, and the reports about his coming to adjudicate the case of General Butterfield have no foundation, so far as any action taken by Mr. Banfield is concerned. He has done nothing up to this but deliver a brief me-sage to the Assistant Transurer, the response to which has already been made, but from which, as yet, no material results have followed. The anxiety to get hold of General Butterfield's letter of resignation was very great among the active and ardent chroniclers of the press throughout the

The anxiety to get hold of General Butterfield's letter of resignation was very great among the active and ardent chromiclers of the press throughout the whole of Tuesday. The writer of the letter, however, deemed it the part of prudence to withhold it from the anxious solicitors, as he desired that nothing on his part should be construed into giving the impression he was making an effort to forestall public obinion. The letter itself is not of any particular importance after the fact is mentioned that it simply contained the resignation of General Butterfield. The latter is prepared to give all the correspondence to the press the instant the administration signifies its pleasure to that effect. Under present circumstances its publication is deemed slightly premature.

The Grand Jury were again in session yesterday, and the ante-room, as before, was the rendezvous for a gathering of wealthy and facetions witnessess. The usher, in the foliness of his generous sout, kindipermitted smoking and placed no embargo on the harmless interchange of jokes. The appearance of the jolly genifemen present was little unlike the preliminary stage of a primary meeting, immus the liquid stimulators and the inevitable bar.

Shaking off the weight of monetary concerns the ruddy and rotund Colgate entered the ante-room, and relieving the end of his cigar of a superincumbent weight of ashes, entered into the prevailing fun with the ardor of a college youth. The fun all concerned the Grand Jury farce in the adjoining room, and to one acquainted with the slang of the Gold Exchange it was something downright amusing. Cigar stock was soid "long" and "short" by turns, and the genuine Havana went relatively higher than ever did Central or Erie. Lockwood, though he relished some of the jokes, showed decided impatience at the length of time he was kept waiting. Catherwood, Corbin soon-linear, and expressed his chief desire to be that Colgate would cease distorbing the column of smoke that ascended from his Partaga cigar. Banker, of the Bank

THE GOLD EXCHANCE RANK DIFFECULTY.

A Turning of the Tables-Further Developmeats of the Late Wall Street Excitement. It will be remembered that about two weeks ago a petition was filed in bankruptcy by Messrs, Ern Otten and Edward G. Taege against the Gold Exchange Bank of New York, alleging among other matters that that body, being bankrupt, or in contemplation of bankrupley or insolvency, did make payments of large sums of money to certain credttors (in one instance exceeding a militon of dollars) with the view of giving them a preference, and for the purpose of delaying and hindering the operation of the bank-ruptcy act. This petition, however, was abandoned a few days after it had been placed on the files of the court, and no proceedings were taken upon it. A petition has just been filed by William Rasmus and George Lissignole, who are doing business as copartiers in this city, against Ernst Otten and Edward G. Taege, creditors of the petitioners. The petition alleges that the said Otten and Taege are indepted to them on an account stated in the sum of \$8,172 10, with interest from the 24th of September, 1869. The indebtedness thus alleged was incurred under the following circumstances:—From about the 2d of September up to and including the 24th September, 1869, Otten and Taege, as brokers of the petitioners, bought and sold for the latter, and on their account and risk, large quantities of gold, and the petitioners point to do the man account on their account and risk, large quantities of gold, and the petitioners point to the 24th September, 1869, cocounted to and with the petitioners for those purchases and sales of gold and money paid as margin or security. Otten and Taege admit, according to the statement of petitioners, that, on this account, they owe the latter the sum of \$8,172 10. Demand for payment of the same has been repeatedly made and refused.

It is further set out in the petition that Otten & Taege being bankrupt, of in contemplation of bankruptcy or insolvency, did make a payment to Conen. with the view of giving them a prefer-

It is further set out in the petition that often a Taege being bankrupt, or in contemplation of bankruptcy or insolvency, did make a payment to Conen, Lazarus & Co. of about \$1,000, and also a payment of \$5,000 to R. Konler, both creditors of Otten & Taege, with intent to give them a preference and hunder or delay the operation of the Bankruptcy law. The case comes before Judge Blatenford for hearing on the 6th of November.

SCRANTON COAL SALES.

An Advance in Prices-Affairs in the Conl Region.

The regular monthly auction sale of Scranton coal took place yesterday at the salesroom of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company's office. This is the third sale of the season, the strike among the miners causing a suspension of auction sales during the summer. A large crowd was in atsales during the summer. A large crowd was in attendance and bidding was very spirited, with an advance upon the rates at the September sale. Seventy thousand tons were disposed of in the following propritions:—Lump, 10,000; steamboât, 15,000; grate, 10,000 egg, 8,000; stove, 17,000; chestnut, 10,000. The following comparison of yesterday's sales with those of September shows the advance in prices and the average rates of yesterday:—

An Price

the average rates of yesterday:

Ar. Price

Sept. 29.

Oct. 27.

Pest day.

Lump... \$5 12½ a \$5 25 \$5 25 a \$5 25 \$5 35

Graie.... 6 00 a \$6 35 6 25 a \$5 25 \$5 25

Steamb't. 5 00 a \$6 35 6 25 a \$6 65 5 30

Steamb't. 5 00 a \$6 35 6 25 a \$4 3½ 6 40

Egg..... 6 50 a 6 65 6 77 a 7 00 6 90

Stove... 6 75 a 7 22½ \$8 07½ a \$8 35 \$15

Chestnut. 5 45 a 5 57½ 5 85 a 6 62 6 00

This advance, it will be remembered, was predicted by the Herral Bat August, and consumers were then advised to lay in their winter's supply. It is the opinion of the coal dealers that prices will go up to a higher figure as cold weather advances, but rates are not expected to reach anything like panic prices. The rates next month will probably be about as much above those of yesterday as they exceed the September prices; and it is believed among the best informed that those figures will be permanent throughout the winter.

Adairs in the coal regions remain unchanged. The

miners in the Lehigh district, who struck on the 14th of August, are still out, and manifest a determination to maintain their present attitude to an indefinite period. It is understood that the strikers receive material aid from the Schuylkili and Lackawana districts, where all the miners resumed work some time ago; but the operators claim that the rigors of winter will compel the Lehigh men to yield. The question involved is whether the miners shall be paid according to a sliding scale based on coal prices at Mauon Chunk or at Elizabethport, the miners demanding Etizabethport prices for a basis of wages. The companies announce that their mines may remain idle all winter rather than they will acquiesce in the demands of the strikers, and thore is not much probability of work being resumed immediately. But one mine (the old Lehigh) is at work in the whole Lehigh district. The supply of coal is lessened by this strike to the extent of about 200,000 tons per month. The total dediciency in the present coal supply, as compared with that of the same period last year, is announced by the Mining Journal to be 369,000 tons. The breaks in the canais and railroads of the coal districts occasioned by the late floods have nearly all been repaired, and with the exception of the strike in the Lehigh district affairs in the coal regions have resumed their normal condition.

PERSONAL MOVEMENTS.

Senator Thayer, of Nebraska, is in Washington Senator Doolittle is doing nothing in Washington Governor Geary approves of making eight hours a

Ben Wade had an interview with the President on

Tuesday evening.

Queen Victoria, it is positively stated, will visit Ireland in June next. Mrs. Lily Devereux Blake takes the desk on the 1st

of next month for women's suffrage.

The young ladies at Evanston College play the national game three days each week.

basiet girl.

It is queer news, that a bust of the protestant philanthropist, Mr. George Peabody, is to be placed in the Vatican.

The Empress of the French, it is saited, will, on her return from Suez, pay a visit to Princess Marguerite, daughter-in-law of the King of Italy.

Jeanne Bretonne is the Ida Lewis of Dieppe. She has saved the lives of lifteen sailors, and wears live medisis and the cross of the Legion of Honor.

The Lombardia of Milan mentions that on the statinstant the Emperor of Austria. accompanied by one of the archdukes, was in that city, but strictly incognitio.

nito.
"Robert Stewart, native Canadian," in the Mus-kegan papers challenges any man in the United States to roll a log for twenty-live dollars to \$1,500 a side.

President Angell has at last decided not to accept the presidency of the Michigan University. He finds it duffeult to detach himself from the University of Vermont.

George Butler, the muscular Christian critic of the New York press, has been appointed United States Consul General to British india, with headquarters at Calcutta.

At the grand review held at Unklar Iskellessey, in honor of the Empress Engenie, the Sultan of Turkey distributed the sum of seven dollars and a half to each soldier.

each soldier.

The Sultan of Turkey has presented the Empress of the French with a magnificent sabre, set in precious stones, and two fine Arabian stations as a souvenir for the Prince Imperial.

The President and Mrs. Grant, with Miss Nellie and Master Jesse, attended the weeding of the daughter of Bisnop Simpson vesterday in Paliadelphia. They will return on Friday evening or Satarday morning. General Beiknan, the new Secretary of War tips.

General Beiknap, the new Secretary of War, telegraphs to Washington that his private business will not allow him to leave Keokuk in time to arrive there before the 29th instant. He declines the tendered compliment of a public dinner on the occasion of his arrival.

It is stated that the Prince of Wales has purchased Dallyfour Woods, lying on the south side of the Dee, between Ballater and Abergeldie, and that, as it has been found that a considerable portion of the timber is going wrong, upwards of 20,000 trees are to be cut down, in order to let the ground be replanted and beautified.

beautified.

Mr. Samuel B. Ruggles has represented the United States successively at the International Monetary Convention at Paris, at the Statistical Congress at the Hague, and at other international gatherings, and he is now on the way to Egypt to represent the New Yors Chamber of Commerce at the opening of the Suez Canal.

New York Chamber of Commerce at the opening of the Suez Canai.

Frederick C. Brewster, of Philadelphia, has been tendered by Governor Geary the position of Attorney General of Pennsylvania, now occupied by Benjamin Harris Brewster. The former is now Judge of the Court of Common Pieas and was one of the majority of the court that decided the recent election contests in favor of the republican contestants.

Field, the young broker lately murdered by his partier in Manistee, Mich, had a life full of miraculous escapes. He was saved from drowning three times, nearly blew off his head once by accidentally discharging a pistol, spent several weeks in a South American prison, was wreeked on the Battle, and has now met a cruci and bloody death at the age of twenty.

Mr. Joseph Bishop died at Waterford, Conn., the other day. He was one of seven brothers and the six survive him. At the funeral of their father and mother all of the seven brothers acted as pall-bearers on each occasion—a strange and solemn spectacle to behold—seven brothers, all of them middlenged men, carrying to the grave first the father and then the mother.

A tomb has just been completed at Kensal Green Cemetery to the memory of Samuel Lover. The

A tomb has just been completed at Kensal Green Cemetery to the memory of Samuel Lover. The tomb is formed of white Carrava marble, and on the top a shadow cross has been erected. The fellowing is the inscription on the tomb:—"Samuel Lover, poet, composer, novelist and painter, born February 24, 1797; died July 6, 1868. Thy rod and thy staff comforted me.""

comforted me.'"

The two eldest bank officers in the United States, Elipander Williams, Fresident of the Northampton (Mass, National Bank, who is in his nineticth year, and Stalliam Williams, Fresident of the Utica (N. V.) savi gs Bank, who is in his ninety-seventh year, are both sescendams of the Rey, William Williams, for first six years paster of the church at Hatfield, Mass, where he died in 1741.

Mass., where he died in 1741.

General John Bankhead Magruder, the well-known Contenerate genera: and formerly a high officer in the United States army, has gone into the lecturing business, and, judging from the Boston newspapers, his lectures on "Maximilian and Mexico" to the Bostonians have been very popular and successful. The late war has made a remarkable revolution in many things, and not the least in the position and habits of many of the prond, arisocratic Southerners. It is a good sign, and highly creditable to such men as teneral Magrader, to see them going earnestly to work for a living, in whatever they have taients for or can find to do.

THE AVONDALE FUND.

Who Has the Money ?-Only \$35,000 Received by the Treasurer.

Who Has the Money t-Only \$35,000 Received by the Treasurer.

[From the Harrisburg (Pa.) Telegraph, Oct. 26.]

It is announced that up to the 18th Inst. but \$34,956 of all the moneys raised by contribution in and out of the State for the relief of the widows and orphans of the unfortunate miners who perished in the Avorable mine had been received by the treasurer of the fund. The total amount collected for this purpose we have seen estimated at over \$200,000, it was not, certainly, under \$150,000, and the fact that so small a portion of it has been forwarded to the treasurer, several weeks having elapsed since the collections ceased, is remarkable if not suspicious. One can scarcely imagine that money raised for such a purpose would be purioined or misapplied by persons to whose custody it had been entrosted; and yet it is full time that every dollar of it should have been accounted for and safely deposited in the frands of those who have been appointed to take charge of and administer the fund. The widows and orphans stand in need of the assistance which the generous contributors designed to render, and it should not be delayed. The treasurer suggests that he has advice of large collections which have not yet reached his hands. All parties having these funds in their custody are solicited to remit the same to him at once. It is the present expectation of the committee to give \$300 per year to each widow and \$100 per year to each child under fourteen and sixteen years of age.

CUSTOMS DIFFICULTIES ON THE CANADIAN BORDER. Twelve Hundred and Fifty Dollars in Gold

Twelve Hundred and Fifty Dollars in Gold Pald as Daty on a Raticoad Car. [From the Defroit Free Press, Oct. 26.]

There occurred at Port Huron yesterd y one of the most extraordinary acts, on the part of the Collector of Customs, we have ever heard of, and one which, if not promptly corrected by the Secretary of the Treasury, will prove of incalculable damage to the State of Michigan. The facts are these:—

A party of gontlemen and ladies came from Montreal over the Grand Trunk Rallway with the intention of passing over the railway from Port Huron to this city and from thence to Cineago and St. Louis. Among the party were Mr. Potter, from England, President of the Grand Trunk Rallway with the intention of passing over the railway from Port Huron to this city and from thence to Cineago and St. Louis. Among the party were Mr. Potter, from England, President of the Grand Trunk road, and Mr. C. J. Brydges, Managang Director of that road. The party came over the Canadian road in the directors' car, and came with the car to port fluron, when they were meet by the Collector, we believe a Mr. Sanborn by name, who demanded, before they could proceed, that Mr. Brydges should pay tire sum of \$1,250 in Igoid as the duty on the car. Mr. Brydges should pay tire sum of \$1,250 in Igoid as the duty on the car. Mr. Brydges should pay tire sum of \$1,250 in Igoid as the duty on the car. Mr. Brydges should pay tire sum of \$1,250 in Igoid as the duty on the car. Mr. Brydges should pay tire sum of \$1,250 in Igoid as the duty on the car. Mr. Brydges should pay tire sum of \$1,250 in Igoid as the duty on the car. Mr. Brydges should pay tire sum of \$1,250 in Igoid as the duty on the car. Mr. Brydges should pay tire to pass tack and forth not only the freight per should be accorded by the sum of \$1,250 in Igoid as the duty on the car. Mr. Brydges should pay tire to pass the car to be a school of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of the Mr. Brydges should pay tire to pass the car to be a school o

interests of Michigan to the amount of millions. In the pleasure car of the Grand Trunk Railway cannot be allowed to come into the United States without paying duty, then all the freight cars of the through freight, as well as the Pullman sleeping cars, must at once cease running. Naymore, No man can cross with his carriage or horses from Canada to the United States or from the States to canada without paying duties. The whole policy of the two governments, which has prevailed for years, is set at naught by this action of a petty official. We hope that Mr. Boutwell will not only order the money paid to be refunded at once, but will promptly remove the officer who has committed the outrage. It is too serious a matter to trifle with.

MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

BONNTON—SMITH.—On Tuesday, October 26, at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Right Rev. A. N. Littlejohn, Bishop of Long Island, GEORGE A. BOYNTON to Buene, daughter of Ira Smith, Jr., all of Brooklyn.

ELIS—CUNNINGTON.—In Brooklyn, on Monday, October 25, at the residence of the bride's mother, by the Rev. Dr. Gaddis, John L. Eliz to Mary, daughter of the late Samuel Cunnington. No cards.

by the Rev. Dr. Gaddis, John L. Ells to Mary, daughter of the late Samuel Cunnington. No cards.

Feurly—Taggert.—Al St. John's church, Paterson, N. J., on Wednesday, October 27, by the Rev. Father McNuity, John Federson.

Hodsbon—Smith.—At West Brighton, S. I., on Tuesday, October 28, by the Rev. Mir. Seymour, Captain Daniel. B. Hoddsbon, U. S. R. M., to Georgia M., daughter of Captain George B. Smith.

Huyshe—Uhlborn.—On Tuesday, October 26, at the Charch of the Holy Communion, by the Rev. F. E. Lawrence, D. D., Wentworth Huyshe, son of Major General Alfred Huyshe, of the British Army, to General Alfred Huyshe, the Husband of St. Thomas, and granddaughter of the late Commodore Beekman V. Hoffman, United States Navy.

Orrea—Edwards.—On Wednesday, October 27, at the residence of the bride's father, 35 Sidney place, Hrockiyn, N. Y., by the Rev. Charles F. Deems, D. D., Aldern G. Ober, of New Orleans, to Mahrha, eldest daughter of Wm. Edwards.

Haltimpre, St. Louis and New Orleans papers please copy.

Theraud—Britton.—On Monday, October 25, at St. Marty's church, West Brighton, S. f., by the Rev. Mr. H. L. E. Pratt, rector, Victor C. Theraud to Mark Britton.

Valentine—Hutchinson.—In Brooklyn, on Wednesday, October 13, at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. Alexander McKelvy, David H. Valentine to Fannie E. Gaughter of Thomas Hutchinson, Esq., all of Brooklyn,

Died.

ALEXANDER,—On Saturday, October 23, ROSANNI ALEXANDER aged 52 years.

Her remains were taken to Norwalk, Conn. Boudgr,—On Theedady, October 26, Eleanon Boudgr beloved wife of Charles Bough, a native of the parish of Lurran, county Cavan, Ireland, aged 52 years. The relatives and friends of the family are respectivity requested to attend the funeral, from her late residence, No. 238 West Twenty-seventh street, this (Thursday) afternoon, at one o'clock processly, without further notice.

Berry,—On Wednesday, October 20, Terence Berry, aged 35 years.

The friends and relatives of the family are respectably invited to attend the funeral, from its late residence, 204 Mott street, at one o'clock on Friday afternoon. The remains will be taken to Calvary Cometery.

dence, 204 Moit street, at one o'clock on Friday atternoon. The remains will be taken to Calvary Cometery.

Bublin papers please copy.

BUCKHOLZ.—The brethren of National Lodge, No. 209. F. and A. M., are hereby summoned to meet it Gothic room, Odd Feliows' Hall, corner of Centra and Grand streets, on Thursday, 28th inst., at twelve M., to pay the last tribute of respect to our deceased brother, William Buckholz. Sister lodges are respectfully invited to participate. By order of E. Percuyat., Secretary.

E. Percuyat., Secretary.

Conwins.—In Brooklyn, on Wednesday, October 27, Lizzie Scott, daugater of B. R. and J. S. Corwin, aged 4 Fears.

The relatives and frends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Friday afternoon, at four o'clock, from the residence of her parents, No. 586 State street. The remains will be taken to Huntington, Long Island.

Fitzmaurick.—At eight o'clock on Wednesday morning, October 27, Ellen Fitzmaurice, in the 23d year of her age.

The friends and relatives of the family, and those of her brother, Whimm Fitzmaurice, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her father, Henry Fitzmaurice, are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her father, Henry Fitzmaurice, of Thompson street, on Friday afternoon, at two o'clock.

Franklin.—Suddenly, on Tuesday, October 26, Mary E., daughter of Heary Franklin, aged 25 years and to months.

The relatives and friends of the family are respect-

dence of her father, Henry Fitzmsurice, 91 Thompson street, on Friday afternoon, at two o'clook.

Franklin.—Suddenly, on Thesday, October 26, Mary E., daughter of Henry Franklin, aged 25 years and 10 months.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectively invited to attend the funeral services, at the residence of her father, 106 East Fitty-flits street, corner of Fourth avenue. Remains will be taken to Greenwood cemetery.

Philadelphia papers please copy.

Frenky.—On Tuesday, October 26, Patrick Frenky, in the 68th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectively invited to attend the funeral, from his late residence, 17 Ludiow street, this (thursday) afternoon, at one o'clook.

Glover,—Juddenly, on Tuesday, October 26, at her residence, 137 East Twenty-fifth street, Susan D., widow of James M. Glover, aged 58 years, of months and 4 days.

Notice of funeral in to-morrow's paper.

Jenniss.—In Brooklyn, on Tuesday, October 26, Joseph Jinkins, in the 75th year of his age.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectively invited to attend the funeral from his lateresidence, No. 231 Bridge street, on Friday afternoon, at one o'clook.

Orange county, N. Y., and Steuben county, Ind., papers please copy.

KENNEY.—The friends and relatives of Bridge papers please copy.

KENNEY.—The friends and relatives of Bridge papers please copy.

Lambert, aged 1 year, it months and 20 days.

The Iriends and relatives are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her parents, 20 East Twenty sixth street, this (Thursday) atternoon, at one o'clook.

Lawbert, 206 East Twenty sixth street, this (Thursday) atternoon, at one o'clook.

Lawbert, aged 1 year, 10 months and 10 days.

The relatives and friends are flivited to attend the funeral, from No. 39 Monthsomery street, on Friday afternoon, at twenty sixth street, this (Thursday) atternoon, at one o'clook.

Lawbert, 20f East Twenty sixth street, this (Thursday) morning, at half-past eight o'clook. The funeral service w

strend.

McKenna.—On Wednesday, October 27, after a short tilness, Margager, wife of James McKenna.

The friends of the family are requested to attend the igneral, from her late residence, No. 80 Tenta avenue, on Friday afternoon, at one o'clock, to Cal-

avenue, on Friday afternoon, at one o'clock, to Calvary Cemetery.

MCNELLIS.—At seven o'clock, on Tuesday morning. October 26, at 340 Peari street, New York, John MCNELLIS, who lived within two mires of Ardara, Glencouwell, county Donegal, Ireland.

Funeral takes place this (Thursday) afternoon, at two o'clock.

Fanerai takes place this (Thursday) afternoon, at two o'clock.

O'BRIEN.—In Erocklyn on Wednesday morning, October 27, Mary O'BRIEN, aged 72 years.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Friday afternoon, at two o'clock, from the residence of heronomon, at the first of the first and sufficient and su